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**FROM:** Vincent M. DeLuca

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<b>IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE</b>	<i>Application Number</i>	09/496,188
	<i>Filing Date</i>	February 2, 2000
	<i>First Named Inventor</i>	David C. Cushing
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<i>Title of the Invention:</i> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR OBTAINING A DISCOVERED PRICE		

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the second Office action mailed February 26, 2004, please amend the subject patent application as follows.